

REMARKS

This amendment is filed to provide proper antecedent basis for allowed claim 1, and does not alter the scope of claim 1, as allowed.

In compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.312, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter the above-referenced amendments because: (1) the amendments are needed for proper protection of the invention; and (2) entering the amendments directed solely to formal matters requires no substantial amount of additional work on the part of the Patent Office. More specifically, the amendment of claim 1 is needed because it corrects typographical error in the claim language. The proposed amended claim 1 requires no additional search or examination, because the amendment made to claim 1 merely corrects an informality in claim language.

CONCLUSION

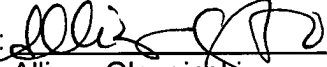
For the foregoing reasons, applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner enter this amendment.

If there are any underpayments or overpayments of fees associated with the filing of this Amendment, please charge and/or credit the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

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